



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0475A
Michael VASSARD et al. : Confirmation No. 8772
Serial No. 10/574,980 : Group Art Unit 2121
Filed April 7, 2006 : Examiner Sunray Chang
METHOD OF CALIBRATING AN : Mail Stop: ISSUE FEE
OPHTHALMIC-LENS-PIERCING
MACHINE, DEVICE USED TO
IMPLEMENT ONE SUCH METHOD AND
OPHTHALMIC-LENS-MACHINING
APPARATUS COMPRISING ONE SUCH
DEVICE

RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR CORRECTED DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In the Notice of Allowance dated October 8, 2009, the Examiner indicated that corrected drawings must be submitted including changes required by the Office Action dated June 9, 2009. However, in the response filed September 4, 2009, new formal Figures 1-3 were submitted in order to address the Examiner's objections in the Office Action of June 9, 2009. Furthermore, in item 3 on page 2 of the Notice of Allowance, the Examiner indicated that the new drawings "have been received for replacing forth objected drawings." Therefore, in view of the formal drawings that were submitted on September 4, 2009, the lack of any new objections to the drawings in the Notice of Allowance, and the Examiner's statement in item 3 on page 2 of the Notice of Allowance, it is the Applicants' understanding that the objections to the drawings have been satisfactorily resolved and that no new formal drawings are required despite the Examiner's indication in item 5 of the Notice of Allowability. However, if the Applicants' understanding is

incorrect, the Examiner is requested to clarify what additional modifications to the drawings are necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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